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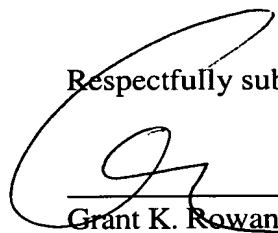
Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicants hereby petitions for an extension of time of two months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of June 3, 2004 to September 3, 2004.

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